

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:        Mihael Polymeropoulos et al.

Application No.:                09/446,628

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For: CLONING OF A GENE FOR PARKINSONS DISEASE

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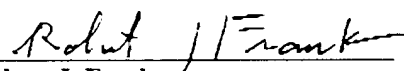
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Sir:

Request is hereby made that the bearer(s) of this letter, Stephen Troffkin, David Avila and Trung Thai, of Berger & Altman, 2121 Crystal Drive, Suite 703D, Arlington, Virginia 22202, be given access to the above-identified Application in order to inspect and make copies of the it.

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Respectfully submitted,

  
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